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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for replying to the Notice to File Missing Parts of application, mailed on March 22, 2002, be extended for four months, to and including September 22, 2002.

Enclosed is a check for \$1,440.00 for the required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). If there are any other charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

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